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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Hong-Sik Jeong et al.

Serial No.: 10/008,700

Group Art Unit: 2818

Examiner: Chuong A. Luu

For: METHODS OF MANUFACTURING INTEGRATED CIRCUIT DEVICES

HAVING AN ENCAPSULATED INSULATION LAYER

NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

Pursuant to 35 USC § 134, 37 CFR § 41.31, and MPEP § 1205, the Applicant in the above-identified patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Office Action dated July 7, 2006 at least twice rejecting or finally rejecting claims 6-24.

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